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U.S. DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

LAWRENCE S.,¹

No. 4:24-cv-5030-EFS

Plaintiff,

v.

MARTIN O'MALLEY, Commissioner of
Social Security,

**ORDER GRANTING THE PARTIES'
STIPULATED MOTION FOR
REMAND PURSUANT TO
SENTENCE FOUR OF 42 U.S.C.
§ 405(g)**

Defendant.

The parties agree that the matter should be reversed and remanded to the Commissioner of Social Security pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g) for further administrative proceedings.

Consistent with the parties' agreement, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

1. The parties' Stipulated Motion for Remand, **ECF No. 12**, is

GRANTED.

2. This matter is **REVERSED** and **REMANDED** to the Commissioner of Social Security for further administrative proceedings pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g). On remand, the Appeals Council

¹ For privacy reasons, the Court refers to every social security plaintiff by first name and last initial or by "Plaintiff." See LCivR 5.2(c).

1 is to instruct the ALJ to: offer Plaintiff the opportunity for a hearing;
2 proceed through the sequential disability evaluation process,
3 including reevaluating whether Plaintiff can perform past work or
4 other work in the national economy and obtaining additional
5 vocational expert evidence if necessary; and issue a new decision.

6 3. The Clerk's Office shall **TERM** the hearing and Plaintiff's brief, **ECF**
7 **No. 8**, enter **JUDGMENT** in favor of Plaintiff, and **CLOSE** the case.

8 **IT IS SO ORDERED.** The Clerk's Office is directed to enter this Order
9 and provide copies to all counsel.

10 **DATED** this 7th day of August 2024.

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EDWARD F. SHEA
13 Senior United States District Judge
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